## **HOUSE RESOLUTION 235**

## By Sargent

A RESOLUTION to commend Shanté Audrey Piché for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Shanté Audrey Piché is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Representative Charles Sargent. Shanté's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a Harpeth High School alumna, she graduated fifteenth in her class and was a member of the National Honors Society. Ms. Piché made the Dean's List as a student at East Tennessee State University, and is now a student at Belmont University (Go Bruins!); and

WHEREAS, she is highly regarded by her peers, having achieved much academic success and participating in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, while serving as an intern at Capitol Hill, Ms. Piché has proven herself to be organized, eager, and industrious, continuing her education at night in addition to assisting several subcommittees and working part-time at Outback Steakhouse; and

WHEREAS, Shanté quickly became known, both within her office and throughout Legislative Plaza, for her cheerful, bubbly disposition, and she earned a well-deserved reputation for being reliable, enjoyable to work with, always courteous to constituents, and very helpful; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Ms. Piché brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2012 session of the One Hundred Seventh General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2012 legislative session, she has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Shanté Piché has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Shanté Audrey Piché for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Representative Charles Sargent and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.